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UNIVERSITY OF LOWELL SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA CONCERT PLANNED

LOWELL, MASS. - The University of Lowell Symphony Orchestra led by its new conductor Kay George Roberts will appear in concert November 9, at 8:30 PM in the concert hall of the Durgin Performing Arts Center.

Miss Roberts, a graduate of Yale University School of Music, will lead the orchestra as it performs works by Schubert, Mendelsshon, and Sibelius. The concert features a violin solo by Joseph McGauley, a member of the Lowell faculty and Assistant Concertmaster of the Boston Ballet Company Orchestra.

Born in Nashville, the new College of Music faculty member, has studied widely and holds degrees from Yale, Fisk University, and the Peabody Demonstration School. In 1971 she performed as first violinist in the World Symphony Orchestra conducted by Arthur Fiedler, and was violinist with the Philharmonia Orchestra at Yale. Miss Roberts made her professional conducting debut in 1976 as guest conductor of the Nashville Symphony Orchestra.

Violinist Joseph McGauley is also a graduate of Yale University School of Music, and has been heard in recital throughout New England. He has performed as a soloist with the Albany and Boston University Symphony Orchestras. Seiji Ozawa awarded him the Silverstein Prize for outstanding violin playing in 1975 at Tanglewood, and this September McGauley became one of the youngest members of the Boston Symphony.

The performance is free and open to the public.